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**MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY,
PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING AND SOCIAL WORK
JOINT BOARD MEETING
Room 121A, 1400 E. Washington Avenue, Madison WI
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OCTOBER 26, 2010**

Notice: The following agenda describes the issues that the Board plans to consider at the meeting. At the time of the meeting, items may be removed from the agenda. Please consult the meeting minutes for a description of the actions and deliberations of the Board.

9:00 a.m.

OPEN SESSION – CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL

Approval of Agenda

Election of Board Officers for 2011

- Chair
- Vice Chair
- Secretary
- A. Approval of MPSW Joint Board Meeting Minutes of July 27, 2010
- B. Administrative Report
 - Review of 2011 Meeting Dates

Board Status of Statutes and Rules and Review of Rules Projects

- C. Discussion on Training Licensure, 3rd Party Reimbursement, Health Care Financing, and the Future of Reimbursement and Vendorship
- D. Discussion Regarding MPSW Joint Board Bringing DHS Authorized Psychotherapists – a.k.a. "Dan Crossman Letter Holders" (pursuant to s. 457.02 (6) (b) 2, Wis. Stats., and Chap. HFS 35, Wis. Admin. Code) under the Regulatory Authority of the Board
- E. Supervisory Guidelines and Disparity of Supervisor Regulations Across Regulations of the 3 Professions of the MPSW Joint Board
- F. Review of Documents Related to National Health Care Reform and the Proposed Scopes of Practice for Wisconsin Substance Abuse Counselors Based on Levels of Education

MPSW Joint Board Planning on Board Goals for 2010

1. Amendment of Wis. Stat. 457.02 Regarding Repeal of Provisions Which Restrict Board License Holders from Providing Treatment of Substance Abuse and Substance Use Disorders
2. Create Supervisory Guidelines and Address Disparity of Supervisor Regulations Across Regulations of the 3 Professions of the MPSW Joint Board.
3. DHS Mental Health Provider Status Letter Holders – Discussion on What Actions Should Be Taken to by MPSW Joint Board to in Terms of Recognizing Unlicensed DHS-Recognized Mental Health Providers

Report of Marriage & Family Therapy Section

Report of Professional Counselor Section

Report of Social Worker Section

Review of Inquiries Received by Legal Counsel

Public Comments

Other Board Business

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